

GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE

FOOD, CIVIL SUPPLIES AND LABOUR DEPARTMENT
(LABOUR).

Labour Dispute.—Industrial Dispute between the Workmen and the Management of Quad Hittlow Group of Estates, Koppa Kadur Post, Chickmagalur District.

Award of the Industrial, Tribunal Bangalore—Published.
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(i) Letter I. T. No. 1590-1/67-68, dated 1st December 1967 from Shri A. Panchakshariah, Presiding Officer, Industrial Tribunal, Bangalore.

BEFORE THE INDUSTRIAL TRIBUNAL IN MYSORE,
BANGALORE.

Dated 30th November 1967.

Present :

Sri A. Panchakshariah, B. A. (Hons) LL. B., *Presiding Officer.*

I.D. No. 45 of 1967.

The Workmen of Quad Hittlow Group of Estates, Koppa Kadur Post, Chickmagalur District ... *First Party.*

Vs

The Management of Quad Hittlow Group of Estates, Koppa Kadur Post, Chickmagalur District ... *Second Party.*

Appearances.

Sri V. S. Govindan, General Secretary, Mysore Plantation Workers' Union, Chickmagalur. ... *For I Party.*

Sri K. Ramadas, Advocate, Chickmagalur. *For II Party.*

Reference.

G. O. No. LMA 368 LLD 67, Bangalore, dated 20th June 1967.

AWARD

The dispute regarding the strike period wages from 1st March 1966 to 1st April 1966 between the workmen and the Management of Quard Hittlow Group of Estates, Koppa, Kadur Post, Chickmagalur, has been referred for adjudication under Section 10 (1) (d) of the Industrial Disputes Act, 1947, by the Government of Mysore, by their Order No. LMA 368 LLD 67, dated 20th June 1967. The same has been registered as I.D. No. 45 of 1967. The I Party workmen were directed to file the claim statement on 1st September 1967. The I Party workmen have filed the claim statement through V. S. Govindan, General Secretary, Mysore Plantation Workers' Union, Chickmagalur. In the course of the claim statement, the workmen justified the strike between 1st March 1966 and 1st April 1966. In view of the fact mentioned above, the workmen contend that the strike between this period was for a justifiable reason and hence the workmen have claimed wages for the said period.

2. The II Party *viz.* the mangement of Quad Hittlow Group of Estates, Koppa-Kadur Post, Chickmagalur District, represented by the General Manager of the Estates, filed a counter statement on 28th September 1967, refuting the allegations in the claim statement and also contended that the strike staged by the workmen of the I Party from 1st March 1966 to 1st April 1966 was absolutely illegal and not justified. It was therefore, contended that the workmen were not entitled to wages for this period. As against this counter statement, the I Party workmen filed a reply denying the allegations in the Counter Statement and affirming the allegations in the claim statement.

3. On these pleading, Issues were framed by me in addition to the points of dispute and the case was set out for evidence.

4. The case was taken up at my Chickmagalur Camp on 30th October 1967 for recording evidence and on that day both the Parties were not ready and took time to get ready with the case. On 30th November 1967 the General Secretary of the I Party sent a letter dated 28th November 1967 stating that the I Party workmen have amicably settled the matter out of Court with the II Party and that the I Party is not pressing for the strike

period wages claimed in the statement. In view of the fact that the I party workmen have reported that they have amicably settled, the matter of strike period wages with the II party, there is no longer any necessity for this Tribunal to proceed with the case. The result is that this Reference stands rejected. In the circumstances, each party will bear its own cost.

A. PANCHAKASHARIAH,
Presiding Officer,
Industrial Tribunal,
Bangalore.

ORDER

Bangalore, dated the 6th December 1967.

S. O. 2385.—WHEREAS by State Government Order No. LMA 368 LLD 67, dated 20th June 1967, the Industrial Dispute between the Workmen and the Management of Quad Hittlow Group of Estates, Koppa, Kadur Post, Chickmagalur District was referred to the Industrial Tribunal, Bangalore, for adjudication.

AND WHEREAS the Industrial Tribunal, Bangalore, has submitted to the State Government its award in respect of the said Industrial Dispute ;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by Section 17 of the Industrial Disputes Act, 1947 (Central Act XIV of 1947), the Government of Mysore are pleased to direct the publication of the said award as above, in the *Mysore Gazette*.

[No. LMA 368 LLD 67.]

By Order and in the name of the Governor of Mysore,

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G. G. PUROHIT, *Under Secy.*